

Strathmore Hockey Carnival Feb. 26th

ANNUAL MEETING OF M. D. BOW VALLEY

The annual meeting of Bow Valley Municipality held Saturday last was a thank you for the gift and the kind words well attended and very interesting gathering of ratepayers, who are face to face with the fundamental activities of living.

The financial statement of last year was in a sound condition and the Council and ratepayers thereat are greatly alive and anxious to continue this happy situation.

The meeting was called to order promptly at 12:30.

The first item was Reeve Harwood's Annual Report, which will be printed in full in this issue.

It was a concise and interesting covering of the various activities and interests of the Council during the year 1940.

Next came the Annual Financial Statement read by the newly appointed Secretary-Treasurer Mr. J. H. Diddoch.

This report was discussed page by page. Following this report which was voted very satisfactory, the meeting was thrown open for general business.

Answering a query of Reeve Harwood's as to expenditure this year for new road building, Mr. M. Van der Velde suggested going easy on new roads, but keeping in good condition those already built.

It was felt the sewer was a very practical expenditure, that justified the purchase.

Reeve Harwood next called on Emory Jackson of Cheade to give a report of the recent U. V. Convention held in Calgary to which he was a delegate.

Mr. Jackson's report was filled with items of much importance to all municipalities and to Bow Valley in particular.

He first touched on the \$275,000 appropriation for roads, bridges, etc., but had been informed that the funds of last Spring used up the appropriation in building new bridges and culverts, hence no grants could be made.

Reeve Harwood later stated Bow Valley had no washed out bridges in last Spring's floods.

The chief point however in Mr. Jackson's report was the threatened enlarging of the municipal districts, changing boundaries, centralizing of more of the authority in Edmonton, and thus weakening the individual interest of the municipality in its own constructive legislation.

Mr. Jackson stated that they were informed that since 1923, twenty-nine M. D.'s had been organized and this rate is apt to worsen. There are now 151 M. D.'s in Alberta. In 1912 the plan had been to allow 8 townships to a municipality.

Mr. Jackson depicted the possibility of the enlarged M. D. and advocated all to be on the alert to prevent any inroads in the reorganization of Bow Valley. Mr. Don McKinnon, M.L.A., in speaking to the report felt the move of enlarged M. D.'s was inevitable.

The statement was made that it would be wise forethought to be prepared to advise as to the new boundaries, and not have an experience similar to that of the enlarged School Unit, where already some changes are being made in the areas allotted to a School District.

The Contract with the Strathmore Standard was again passed unanimously. Arthur Lambert was also awarded the contract for garbage collection contracts receiving favorable comment from those present.

Returning Officer Harry Grove of 9 o'clock stated nominations were received up to 4 o'clock for councilors for divisions 1, 2 and 5. This resulted in acclamation being given (1) S. C. Nelson, (2) G. B. Field, (3) J. Harwood.

Mr. Phillips' faithfulness to the job as Councilor Reeve Harwood on behalf of the Council presented Mr. Phillips with a First quality Pen and Pencil Set.

TOWN COUNCIL MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27th

Report of annual meeting was read and approved, also report of Election. It had been brought to the notice of the Council that legislation pertaining to regulation of Traffic concerning motor vehicles was not being enforced and the Council were of the opinion that the matter should be attended to.

Application of Mr. George Turner for approval of a license to operate a motor vehicle and Ice Cream business was granted.

Formations of snow and ice on sidewalks endangering the public was discussed. The question was to be further dealt with at a future meeting.

CHEADLE WEDDING — NAPPER

The wedding of Cecil Barber, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Barber of Cheade and Miss Barbara Doris Napper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Napper, of Rocky Mountain House was solemnized in Wesley United Church at 6 p.m. Saturday, February 17th, the Rev. J. R. Gordon, Pastor of Wesley Church officiating.

Given in marriage by Mr. Talbot of Calgary the bride made a very winning picture as she proceeded up the aisle to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March played by Mrs. Barnet. The altar of the church was banked with fern making a very pretty setting.

The bride wore a floor length gown of white tulle with white velvet trim and a chapel veil in white. Her bouquet was pink roses and fern.

Miss Verna Barber, sister of the groom was bridesmaid. She chose for the occasion, a very becoming gown of daffodil net over matching satin, with a yellow flower in her hair. Her bouquet was pink carnations and fern.

Mr. Lester Smith was best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held for a large number of guests at the York Hotel.

The bride's going away costume was of Queen's blue with white and silver tulle train, and blue accessories.

After a honeymoon of two weeks in Vancouver the young couple will return to Cheade to reside on the groom's farm.

Best wishes for a long and happy life are extended.

ICE CARNIVAL AND MASQUERADE HARRY THURSTON

The promoters of the Carnival to be held next Wednesday are anxious that a large number will appear in costume. This always adds to the general interest and the prizes are worth winning. Plan your costume carefully and be one of the lucky winners.

Fancy Skaters From Calgary —

The committee is arranging to bring some special skaters from Calgary to add to the general interest. It promises to be a full evening of fun.

REEVE HARWOOD'S REPORT 1940

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen —

It is my privilege to submit the report on the activities of your Council for the year 1940.

The Council for the past year was composed of Councilors S. C. Nelson, J. Harwood, J. Jackson, W. P. McKinnon, C. Cowell and myself. The officers of the Council were: L. C. Van Tighem, Secretary-Treasurer; W. Herbert A. Thompson and Co., Auditors; Dr. J. W. Giffen, Health Officer, and P. Sidam, weed inspector.

The attendance at the regular meetings was 100 per cent except for one absence granted Mr. Phillips for one meeting and Mr. Cowell for 2 meetings.

The Council was faced with a difficult situation during the spring of 1940 due to the heavy floods which caused many wash outs on the grades and corners and caused considerable damage to the roads. It also made necessary the purchase of several new culverts in each division. It was partly due to the ravages caused by these floods that the Council decided to purchase a La Tourette Scrapper and the Council felt that this piece of equipment is going to be very valuable to the District. Those who have seen the work done by it north and east of Nakama and west of Carleton and are now convinced that it will realize the benefit of this machine.

The equipment is in first class shape with the possible exception of the tracks on the tractor. All equipment is paid for with the exception of the new Scrapper on which there is still owing the sum of \$2400.00.

A tax sale was held during the past year and some lands which were not paying taxes for some years will now be rendering revenue to the District.

Last year we reported on the start of a Hospital Plan, much valuable information was gathered together and representatives of the Council interviewed the two main Hospitals in Calgary on two occasions but the rate they set was too high for the District to consider and for the present our efforts have been baulked. The Council took an active part in endeavoring to get a health unit formed in this District and to this end a meeting was held in Strathmore during the past year. The Council felt that there are many benefits available to the District through the formation of a Health Unit but at this time we are unable to report definitely with regard to the formation of a unit.

Considerable attention to the weed situation resulted in a better understanding of the problem.

Dramatic Club Meet

The regular meeting of the Dramatic Club was held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. and Mr. Leslie Pearson and an enjoyable programme was carried through. Actors and directors were chosen for the play, "The Plumber" which they intend to present to the public sometime after Easter.

In the evening paper on Galtworthy was given by Miss Jean McGregor and Miss M. Gordon and parts of some of their plays read.

Following the meeting, the club very much enjoyed Mrs. Pearson's hospitality.

The next meeting will be held at Miss Gerry Van Tighem's home.

BOARD OF HEALTH

An important meeting of the Board of Health was held Tuesday evening to discuss the Measle Quarantine problem.

It was decided to reduce the quarantine to 1 week and that in a house where one person has had the measles he may return to school even though there may be one or all with the measles in the house.

Red Cross To Serve Refreshments At Bouspiel

At the Bouspiel to be held in Strathmore starting Monday next the Red Cross will serve hot coffee and sandwiches in the curling rink.

QUEEN GEORGINA?

Which will be Crowned?

See standing in Harbor & Cradocks Window. Boost your queen by buying tickets by the book.

Lions' Debate At Thursday's Banquet

The Lions Club will meet Thursday for their regular Banquet, when the programme arranged will be a Debate. Resolved — "Whereas Britain does not bomb civil Germany then she should open the flood gates at the York Hotel."

The affirmative is being debated by Rev. S. R. Hunt and Dr. Giffen while the negative will be upheld by Rev. Leslie T. H. Pearson and Mr. C. P. Nichol.

This will provide a lively discussion which will be well worth hearing.

LYALTA

Our community was shocked by the death of Mr. Harry Thurston in a car accident Saturday evening, Feb. 15th. During his five years of farming near Lyalta, he had won the esteem of many friends who will sincerely mourn his early demise. Mr. Thurston was a member of the Canadian Order of Foresters, Lyalta Branch. Our deepest sympathy is extended to his wife and all other relatives in their very sad bereavement.

Wheel week's winners in the Victory

Wheel were Mr. Pete Torgimsson, J. Russell and Miss Lyda McLean. There have been 15 weeks up to this date. Cheade store is sponsoring all Victory Wheels for the district.

F. M. BLACK IS DEAD

Few men have had a wider acquaintance in the business, political, social and educational world than had Mr. F. M. Black of Vancouver, at one time a resident of Calgary.

Ever alert in progressive measures his interest and influence covered a wide sphere.

The word of his death will be received with regret by a very large number of friends.

Mr. Black held several posts of responsibility, which he ably filled. He was native of Scotland, and came to Western Canada as a comparatively young man.

Walker Retires As MORMON BISHOP

Lethbridge — J. H. Walker, leader of the independent group in the Alberta legislature, Sunday retired as Bishop of the Latter Day Saints (Mormon) church at Raymond. He had been the bishop since 1924. The opposition leader gave as his reason for retiring the pressing demands of his legislative duties.

NOTICE

The Strathmore Annual Bouspiel will be held starting Monday, February 24th, 1941.

The entry fees set by the executive will be — Strathmore Club Members, \$1.00; Strathmore Non-Club Members, \$2.00 each. Outside curlers whether members of a club or not to be charged \$1.00 per member.

Strathmore club members should have at least one half their curling dues paid, or arrangements made with the secretary before entering the Bouspiel.

W. J. GLENDINNING, Sec.-Treas.

FOUR PRESIDENTS OF THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

It is interesting to note that the four presidents of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company since its birth thirty years ago have been men whose courage and ideals are reflected in the high type of service given to the people of Canada and in the growth of the company in this period.

Lord Mount Stephen, the organizer; Sir William Van Horne, the builder; Lord Shaugnessy, the developer; and Sir Edward Beatty, the modernizer.

LANGDON

The "500" party held for the benefit of the Red Cross last week Thursday was a success and nearly ten dollars will be added to the funds. Mrs. D. Kernaghan and P. Dain were lucky winners, while Mrs. J. Kinton and J. Venstrum received the consolation prizes. Travelling prizes were won by Mrs. S. Scott and E. Moe.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Albertson and Mr. and Mrs. F. Dain with a Coleman lamp and a coffee pot at their home recently. These were given by their neighbors and friends, but owing to the serious illness of the late Mr. Dain, no party could be held for them. Fred and Louise wish to thank all who helped with the gifts and are very grateful indeed.

John Brander of Sunnyslope was at home for several days this week.

Mrs. D. Kernaghan-Sr. is in Calgary taking treatments for her throat which has been bothering for some time. We hope he will soon be improved.

NEW FOUR-MONTH TRAINING PERIOD

Replacing the original 30-day military training scheme under the National Resources Mobilization Act, the first of a new four months' training plan will begin about March 15, when it will be planned to call up between 5,000 and 6,500 men, and the same number each month afterward, according to announcement made this week by the Prime Minister.

Those to be called, according to present arrangements, are all young men as they reach the age of 21. There will be no exemptions, though postponements may be worked out by the boards of Review in the different districts.

The four months' period of training will be divided into basic training for two months and advanced training for

COMING EVENTS

Red Cross Dance, Friday, February 21st. Everyone welcome. Come and aid the Red Cross.

DANCE in Nakama Hall, Friday, February 21st. Good music, and a good time assured.

Auction Sale — February 26th at W. W. Thorne's near Lyalta. Stock and Farm Implements.

Auction Sale — March 17th at A. T. Beatty's, Standard. Sale of well bred horses.

Dance extraordinaire — at Carleton Place Hall, Friday, February 22nd. Fine May's 5 piece orchestra will provide good music. Everyone welcome. A good time assured.

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RED CROSS DANCE FRIDAY, FEB. 21st



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AMMONIA PROOF LEATHERS—Black or Brown
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Black Calf Leathers, Linen Stitched, Strong Pliable
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YOUR DECORATOR will be pleased to take book
to your home for selection at your convenience.

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Alberta

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



TREASURE TROVE

I remember a garden
its paths were trim and wide
And flower-beds and many trees
Flanked it on either side.

Sweet things grew in that garden
lily flowers in spring;
Lilies, and graceful laburnum,
Fragrant in blossoming.

Vell purple flags in the borders;
An edging of London pride,
Ribbons green and Solomon's seal,
Clove-pinks fit for a bride.

Green haws like velvet carpets,
With clover blooms bearded;
With buttercups and daisies
Peeping from emerald bed.

Why do I think of that garden,
Thousands of miles away
From frost-bound sunny Alberta,
This cold, clear, wintry day?

I opened an old book this morning
And there, 'twixt the pages, lay
A lock charm dry and faded,
And carefully hidden away.

What is this withered talisman,
Treasured by restless rover,
Reviving recollections?
A little four-leaved clover.

THE WORLD OF WHEAT

By H. G. L. Strang

Director—The Crop Testing Plan

A short time ago a best-selling book,
and a movie made from the book, cre-
ated world wide interest and discus-
sion. The farmers in Oklahoma were
shown as being driven from their land
by grasping landlords who then farm-
ed the land extensively with catclap-
tar tractors.

I have just returned from a visit to
Oklahoma, and drove day after day
over a large part of the State. I could
find nothing whatever that even re-
motely resembled anything that I had
read in this book. Instead I saw in al-
most every district well tilled fields,
fine farm homes, excellent farm build-
ings, and farming families apparently
moderately prosperous.

It is true that in one small part of
Oklahoma a drought prevailed for
several years, just as prevailed in
this area. I discovered, the majority of
the Oklahoma farmers, just like our
farmers in Western Canada steadfastly
and courageously endured through the
drought years, and waited pat-
iently until the better years came, liv-
ing thoroughly up to the spirit of the
old Chinese agricultural poem, writ-
ten over 5,000 years ago about a
drought in ancient China, and which
poem concludes "But I will strive just
as long as I can survive."

This determination to stick to the
land, in spite of all adversities, is typ-
ical of farmers in all countries.

— TRAIN SCHEDULE —

Strathmore—
Going West No. 1 8:57 p.m.
Going East No. 2 8:02 a.m.
Cardston—
Going East No. 4 9:08 p.m.
Going West No. 3 6:52 a.m.

THE WEEK IN
EDMONTON

● ALASKA HIGHWAY

Official intimation from Ottawa
that the federal government will spend
\$9 millions on air bases through Al-
berta and British Columbia to Alaska
attracted wide attention in the capital
city. It is said that the air bases, lo-
cated along the projected route of the
Inland Highway, will be completed
next summer. The undertaking will be
entirely Canadian, but American com-
mercial and military planes may use
it to proceed to Alaska. They will be
located 500 miles apart. Workers are
already in the north, having gone by
plane and tractor train to rush con-
struction preliminaries.

● BUILDING INCREASED

Building construction in Alberta
during the 11 months ending Novem-
ber 30 showed an increase of 358 per
cent over the same period of 1940, the
total value being \$23,340,000. It was
announced by Hon. E. C. Manning this
week. Increase in 14 fields of agri-
cultural and industrial commerce were
recorded during the same period. Hog
marketings soared 41 per cent to
reach a total of \$9,260,511, and pack-
ing plant sales rose 28 per cent to a
total of \$27,898,270. Haulers were re-
corded in coal, petroleum, lumber, car
sales, machine sales, cattle, four-
wheelers and for sales, which in-
creased 265 per cent in value to a
total of \$2,715,216. Only wheat, coarse
grains and unemployment showed a
decrease. The latter was down consid-
erably.

More than two city firms have ach-
ieved "gold certificate" rating in Ed-
monton as result of their employes
pledging to assist in war savings
certificates drive.

● SEASON OPENED THURSDAY

Opening of the first session of the
ninth Legislature February 20th will
be short of much formality because of
various conditions. It was announced
Wednesday last, and no gun salute
will be fired as is done customarily.

Honour the Lieutenant Governor
will arrive with a police escort, and
there will be no military guard of hon-
our. In the Chamber, the customs of
seating members of the public will be
dropped during the opening ceremony
and no invitations will be sent out.
The public gallery will henceforth be
open only to ticket holders, and those
wishing to attend will obtain tickets
from members, who normally issue
tickets to the Members gallery only.
Each will have four tickets for the dis-
posal. In normal times each has two
invitation tickets daily.

● INCREASE MILK PRODUCTION

Thirty-two of Alberta were urged to
increase milk production by W. C.
Cameron, associate chief of the dairy
products grading and inspection ser-
vice of the federal agriculture depart-
ment, that in order to meet the requests
of the United Kingdom for cheese and
concentrated milks and also a possible
domestic increase in the consumption
of dairy products, an increase in the
total production of milk will be neces-
sary," he said. British Columbia and

O.S.A. EXPERIMENTAL
UNION 1941

The Old School of Agriculture Ex-
perimental Union again has available for
distribution some excellent seeds and
plants of field and garden crops.
These are listed below. Each member
may make five selections.

Members of the O. S. A. Alumni
Association may make selections with-
out fee.

- 1—Potatoes (25 eyes) Vicks Eady.
 - 2—Potatoes (25 eyes) Bovee.
 - 3—Potatoes (25 eyes) Kaskadu (late).
 - 4—Red Wing Flax — 2 lbs.
 - 5—Brome Grass - Parliament, 1 lb.
 - 6—Timothy - Swallow, 1 lb.
 - 7—Creeping Red Fescue - 1/2 lb.
 - 8—Jerusalem Artichoke, tubers, 1 lb.
 - 9—Alberta Broad Beans 1/2 lb.
 - 10—Caragana seedlings, 100.
 - 11—Garden Pease - 3 varieties.
 - 12—Garden Beans - 3 varieties.
 - 13—Perennial Flower Roots - 5 (Dwarf to medium).
 - 14—Perennial Flower Roots - 5 (Glenium to all).
 - 15—Lilies - 2.
 - 16—Aconitum (Monkshood - Perennial - 3 varieties).
 - 17—Chamberg Vines - 2.
 - 18—Lithabarb roots - 2.
 - 19—Herbert Raspberries - 12.
 - 20—Native Plum seeds - 12.
 - 21—Buttercup seeds - 4.
- Our supply of some of this material is quite limited so some substitution may be necessary.
- We have limited amounts of seed of a number of the leading varieties of wheat, oats, barley and peas but nothing strikingly new. Members who are interested are asked to write.
- Orders will not be accepted after April 5th.
- Membership fee of \$1.00 which in-
cludes shipping charges must accom-
pany selections. When not shipped—
\$5 cents.

Alberta produced the highest per-
cent of scoring butter in Canada last
year, delegates were told, with 55.3
per cent of Alberta's butter scoring 93
points or higher.

● YOUTH PROGRAM

More than 1,000 Albertans are now
enrolled in various branches of the
dominion-provincial youth program. It
was stated by Dr. G. Fred McNally, de-
puty minister of education this week.
Heavy enrolment is taking available
accommodation, he added, and expan-
sion plans will be considered when fed-
eral officials arrive here in the course
of a western tour. Two hundred grad-
uates have joined the R. C. A. F. It is
learned, and 470 soldiers are taking
special three-month courses.

Edmonton branch No. 2 of the Al-
berta Civil Servants association ap-
proved at a general meeting this week
the acceptance of part salaries in
treasury branch trade claim vouchers
under the revised Interim Program.
Single persons will accept 15 per cent
of salaries, married persons 25 per
cent except those receiving \$2,001 to
\$3,000, who will take 20 per cent. The
new agreement becomes effective
February 17th.

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PLEDGED

TO SAVE FOR PEACE ?

FEBRUARY HAS BEEN SET
ASIDE AS WAR SAVINGS
PLEDGE MONTH, WHEN EV-
ERY MEMBER OF EVERY
HOUSEHOLD IN CANADA WILL BE
ASKED TO PLEDGE A DEFINITE,
SUBSTANTIAL SUM EVERY WEEK
TO AID CANADA'S GREAT WAR
EFFORT.

EVERY CANADIAN FAMILY MUST
PLEDGE. THIS CALLS FOR SACRI-
FICE, PERHAPS, BUT NO HARD-
SHIP. WHAT YOU LEND, NOW,
CAN REALLY BE REGARDED AS
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your faith and your blessing, and under
Providence all will be well."
"We shall not fail or falter; we shall
not weaken or tire. Neither the sudden
shock of battle, nor the long drawn trials
of vigilance and exertion will wear us
down."
"GIVE US THE TOOLS AND WE
WILL FINISH THE JOB."

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Shown here with Newfoundland officials are the U.S. Army Field Artillery, Lt. E. Emerson, justice
three members of Secretary of State Hull's commis-
sion, Lt. before boarding the Atlantic clipper ship
Liberty. LEFT TO RIGHT are: Harold Bismarck,
commander U.S. navy; J. M. Proulx, finance ad-
ministrator of Newfoundland; and, Harry A. Malloy,
in the western hemisphere.

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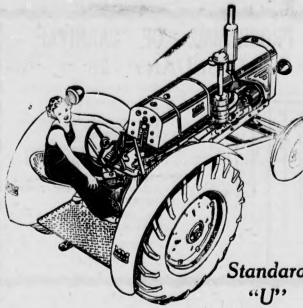
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Yes! EVERY CANADIAN FAMILY
Must Pledge and Sacrifice...
"THIS TIME we are ALL in the front line."—H.M. THE KING.

FALL IN! The line is forming. Close the ranks. Answer His Majesty's call. Every man, woman and child in Canada has a duty to perform. Some will fight. You, too, have a job to do. It may demand sacrifice. You are called on to help furnish the munitions needed to win the war... guns and tanks for the army... planes for the air force... ships for the navy and merchant marine. Guns and tanks and planes and ships cost money. You are not asked to give—you are only asked to LEND your money. This is something you can do... something you must do.

There is only one place to get the money Canada needs to win this war—from the people of Canada. A large part will come from business firms and people with large incomes. They will pay high taxes and buy heavily of War Loan Bonds. But more money is needed... a great deal more. \$100,000,000 a month is expected from men, women and children who invest in War Savings Certificates.

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"HE IS MY PRESIDENT"

THESE WORDS spoken by Wendell Wilkie in answer to taunts from some persons who had opposed Roosevelt for re-election, and were written Wilkie for his support of the Roosevelt policy, bespeak a man of broad mind and a high sense of Fair Play. He has shown himself a good loser which is sometimes a very difficult thing to do.

BUY WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATES

"TODAY we are all in the front line!" This word of command from King George resounds like a clarion cry at the beginning of this national campaign to secure subscription to the War Savings Certificate plan. Of those who cannot fight in the ranks of the army and on the air force, their country asks only the loan of their money to serve the cause of National Defence. The need is urgently pressing for the sinews of war are indispensable to the continuance of military operations and to the conquest of final victory.

COL. R. B. MCCORMICK'S PERVERSED VISION

WHERE THE REAL MENACE IS (From Globe and Mail)

THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE, which boasts a million circulation a day, apparently is not a sufficient medium for its owner, Col. Robert B. McCormick, to vent his enmity against the

British cause. Recently he has been busy on the radio and as a witness before the Senate committee in Washington, in company with his protégé Colonel Lindbergh, trying to block aid to Britain, and he has appeared as a pro-Nazi writer in Scribner's Commentator with an article which slurs the deathless heroism of Dunkirk as "the panic of Flanders."

When it is realized that Colonel McCormick's Tribune owes its daily existence to the supply of newspaper it obtains from Canada there is a natural impulse to wish the supply cut off forthwith. It is an impulse, however, for which Canadians on reflection cannot yield. They are in the war to preserve the freedom of the press and of speech for the Colonel McCormick and all others who choose to use his influence to throw obstacles in the way of success, if he prefers the suppression of liberties by dictatorship to the free press which Canada and Britain are to the end to save him from the results of his myopic folly. To interfere with the Chicago Tribune's paper supply would mean, in another and neutral country, things we do not like is not the British idea of freedom.

The danger of the Chicago Tribune to Canada is not what it chooses to print in Chicago, but the influence that newspaper's money exercises in Canada, through Canadians, to try to conceal its evil work. It has managed to use some Canadians who have been, and are, abetting its efforts to deceive the Canadian public into believing that this enemy is really a friend. That there are Canadians who can be persuaded to do this sort of thing, in time of war, for profit, is deeply disturbing.

There is too much Chicago Tribune money being spent in Canada for propaganda and lobbying in one form or another. It is reported as having influenced to affect election results. That is why the Canadian public needs to be made aware of its real character. Let Colonel McCormick and his newspaper print what they choose so matter how subversive it may be of human welfare, but let us defend ourselves against its efforts to subvert our citizenship.

Under The Street Lamp

by P. E. (Pat) O'Hosley

A traveller in the South chatted with an aged Negro, whom he met in the road. "And I suppose you were once a slave?" he remarked. "Yes, suh," the old colored man answered. "And so?" went on the traveller, "after the war, you gained your freedom?" But the ancient one shook his head sadly. "No, suh," he declared with great emphasis, "not perackly, suh. I don't get mah freedom, suh, after de war—I done got married."

Mrs. Perry to husband who has been cranking the car for some time unsuccessfully: "Perry, maybe it's your case."

Wee Ken McKensie rolled in one day to see his mother baking. "What kind of a pie are you making?" asked Ken. "Lemon meringue pie," replied his mother.

He went out to play, returning some time later and exclaiming breathlessly: "Mother, what did you say is the pie's middle name?"

Unconscious author: After my death the world will realize what I have done. Don Wright: "Well, don't let worry, you old chap. You will be out of harm's way, then."

A short while ago, Doug Hittle was put on sentry-duty outside the General's post. Doug, knowing the General was very foolish, thought he might appear somewhat more if he spread a burr too in the morning, the General roared loudly out of his tent, and said in a loud and stern voice: "Who are you?" Doug turned round smartly and replied: "Pine sir! And hoo's yerself!"

Sue had a real skin; She said she used it a melle. But if you saw it in the morn, It looked more like an olive

Professor: "If a person in good health, but who imagined himself sick, should

CHANGE IN ADDRESSING MAIL FOR TROOPS

OVERSEAS AND CANADA

Postmaster General Honorable W. P. Mulock announces that owing to the recently authorized change in the title of the military forces of Canada, the designation "Canadian Army" will now be used instead of "Canadian Active Service Force (C.A.S.F.)."

Therefore, now be addressed as follows: Mail For Delivery Overseas—Then designation "C.A.S.F." to be used. Note—If a soldier is overseas, the word "Overseas" must appear in the address, but no place name.

Mail For Delivery in Canada—The usual complete address—regimental number, rank and name and details of unit and name of regiment or branch of service, and, in addition, the Post Office name of the place in Canada where the soldier is stationed, must be given.

For example—No. 12345, Signal, John Smith, No. 3 Company, 2nd Div. Signals, Royal Canadian Corps of Signals, Canadian Army Overseas. Note—If a soldier is overseas, the word "Overseas" must appear in the address, but no place name.

Until such time as the new method of addressing becomes generally known, mail bearing the designation "C.A.S.F." will as heretofore be despatched to destinations, but the public should immediately adopt the new method when addressing letters, parcels and other mail to members of the Canadian Army, either Overseas or stationed in Canada.

ARDENODE

Mr F. E. Sarsons was under the weather for a few days last week, but is on the way to recovery once again.

Mrs E. Olsen spent a few days visiting in Baintree last week.

Mr and Mrs G. H. Godfrey, spent Thursday in the big city.

Mr Fred Rambridge had a narrow escape from breaking his leg one day last week. Fred had just recovered from an attack of the flu and not feeling too strong, went out to help put up, when the plank he was standing on broke, letting a cake of ice fall onto his leg. Although badly bruised, no bones were broken and apart from limping a little, he is able to stay around.

Mr Tom Owens left Tuesday evening for places unknown. We all join in wishing him the best of luck and good speed. He has left for England, hoping to join some military unit.

Mr and Mrs L. Hilton entertained Monday evening in honor of Mr. J. Owens, who is leaving the district for a while.

Mr and Mrs P. Kliner of Calgary will take up residence with Mrs Owens while Mr Owens is away.

Mrs Elaine Sarsons and Donald are confined to their home for a few days owing to an unpleasant attack of the measles.

Ardenode did well for the victory wheel having three spins for last week. Keep the good work going folks and we'll say "Thumbs up" everyone. Our sympathy goes out to Mr and Mrs Thurstall and family in their recent sad bereavement.

C. N. RAILWAYS

Montreal—After payment of operating expenses the net revenue of the Canadian National Railways System in 1940 amounted to \$46,007,412, an increase of \$24,529,989 over the net revenue of 1939. This was made known recently with the publication of the December, 1940 results which showed a net revenue for the month of \$6,712,550, an increase of \$2,937,347 as compared with December, 1939.

Operating revenues for the year 1940 were \$247,597,225, against \$208,820,125 in 1939. Operating expenses in 1940 were \$202,519,813 and in 1939 \$182,958,768.

For the month of December operating revenues were \$24,529,989, operating expenses \$17,462,207.

send for you, what would do?" Med. Student: "Give him something; make him sick, and then administer an antidote." Prof.: "Don't waste any more time, here son. Hang out your shingle!"

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FEDERAL GOVERNMENT
IN SESSION

Finance Minister Bailey places Can-
ada's War Bill at \$1,200,000,000, and
the Government will ask that this sum
be voted.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of "Dad" H. G.
Schier who passed away Feb. 20, 1939.
"Not dead to us who loved him
Not lost but gone before
He lives with us in memory
And will forevermore."
Ever remembered by his wife and
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NEWS & COMEDY



Church Notes

ST. MICHAEL'S & ALL ANGELS
CHURCH - STRATHMORE

Incumbent—
Rev. Leslie T. H. Pearson, B.A., L.Th.

Feb. 23—Quinquagesima Sunday

8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.

2 p.m.—Sunday School.

7:30 p.m.—Evening.

Topic—"Character"

Wednesday—

7:30 p.m.—Junior Choir Practice.

7:30 p.m.—Senior Choir Practice.

8 p.m.—Wed. War Intercession.

9:30 a.m.—Thurs. Holy Communion.

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Strathmore—Alberta

Rev. S. R. Hunt, B.A., B.D.

Sunday, February 23rd 1941

To have courage without pugnacity.

To have conviction without bigotry.

To have charity without condescension.

To have faith without credulity.

To have love of humanity without mere sentimentality.

To have meekness with power

And emotion with sanity—

That is Christianity.—Chas. E. Hughes.

STATHMORE—

11 a.m.—Combined Church and

Sunday School.

7:30 p.m.—Curlers Service.

Hearty invitation to all.

SACRED HEART CHURCH

STRATHMORE—

Mass every Sunday 10:30 a.m. except

on feasts first Sunday of the month

when Mass will be at 10 a.m.

CARSELAND—

First Sunday of the Month. Mass

at 11 a.m.

REV. A. E. ROULEAU, P. P.

CARSELAND UNITED CHURCH

Rev. H. Clegg, Minister.

Sunday, January 12th, 1941

First Sunday of each month Service

is held at 8 p.m. All other Sundays it

is held at 10 noon.

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BILLIARD ROOM
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Tobaccos and All
Smokers' Necessaries.
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R. HAMBLY, Prop.

Local News Items

William Keeling, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keeling, who has been an employee of the Post Office in Timmins Ontario, for the past two years, has joined the Postal Corps of H. M. Forces, and has left for Ottawa, where he will be stationed for some time.

Mrs. Wilkinson is a victim of the flu and pneumonia, and is confined to her bed for a few days.

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Andrew spent a few hours at his home in Strathmore Monday enroute to the Capital City. He will return to Strathmore for a short visit following the opening ceremonies.

...Curling Club Church Service.—The officers of the Strathmore Curling Club have asked for a special service in the United Church and the date has been set for next Sunday, Feb. 23rd. Everyone is heartily invited to attend. Outlets are asked to sit together in the centre pews.

The United Church choir are planning to give an evening of music and scenic pictures in the Church on Tuesday evening, March 4th.

A walnut table has been placed in the front of United Church auditorium. It is being paid for by commissions obtained by forwarding subscriptions to the United Church Observer.

Frank Sowden, a familiar and popular young man of Strathmore left Calgary Thursday last by C.N.R. special train for Winnipeg where he will continue the Officer's Training Course. We wish Frank the best.

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vouchers as payment for goods purchased.

PHONE M4470—

James Morris

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Mayor and Mrs. T. S. Hughes with

Mrs. T. B. Hughes and Mrs. T. L. Cham-

berlain returned home Tuesday evening,

the latter two having visited in

Leithbridge for the week while Mayor

and Mrs. Hughes travelled to Vancouver

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NAMAKA

The Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. J. McLean February 13th with an attendance of fourteen. After the business of the meeting Mrs. Hunt read several letters written by nurses in missionary hospitals of Alberta which were very interesting. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Hunt March 12th.

Mr. Mackie had a letter this week from his brother Jim who is overseas.

Mrs. Jim Bremner and little daughter spent the week with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Hare and Mr. Jim Bremner spent Sunday with Mrs. Baker.

Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Bremner returned to Calgary with them.

Mrs. Bushman returned from the Camp at Red Deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Watts and little daughter visited in Namaka and district during the week end.

We still have the measles with this. There are several new cases this week.

Mrs. Black of Strathmore visited with Mrs. Watts a few days this week.

Red Cross meeting at Mrs. Aitken on the 21th.

PRIZES AT THE CARNIVAL

Prizes at the Ice Carnival on the 25 of February, will include Best Comic, Best Dressed and Most Original classifications. In addition there will be a special prize for Patriotic Costumes.



CROWFOOT

At the Crowfoot Victory Wheel Monday last, little Carol Scherer and Mr. Fred Schumann were the successful ones.

Sufficient funds are on hand to sponsor two more wheels and this will take place in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Harvey entertained the contributors at their home.

ACROSS—

1. Boat

7. Leg joint

9. A journey

10. Full of

11. Thorns

12. Monster

13. Church

14. Celebration

15. The morning

16. Look

17. A British

18. Unit of

19. Performs

20. Having a

21. Masticate

22. On the left

23. Divide

24. Tempo

25. Whole

26. Feems

27. Sun god

28. Rooted

29. Contribute

30. Gear wheel

31. Equilibrium

32. South Amer-

ican river

33. Kind of bird

34. Trained

35. Official snow

36. Snare

37. Snow vehicle

DOWN—

1. Languor

2. Capital of

Latvia

3. Having the

form of an

ear

4. Vexing